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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

- For Governor—JOHN H. MICKLEY. For Lieutenant Governor—E. G. MCGILTON. For Treasurer—PETER MORTENSON.

Piece-Work and the Strike.

In the pending strike of the Union Pacific machinists it is difficult to see what good grounds the strikers have for their objections to the piece work system.

It is conceded that the system would put each workman on his merit, his pay being regulated by the amount of his output.

The argument that the men should be paid alike, regardless of ability or faithfulness, will hardly appeal to the public.

It would be manifestly unfair, not only to the employer but as between the men themselves, and would lessen the desire of the skilled workman to perform the amount of work which he would be able and willing to perform were he paid on the merit system.

That the piecework system would increase the output of each individual, increase the wages of the highly skilled workmen and lessen the demand for ordinary men, is not an argument which should appeal to the first class workmen who are supposed to compose the bulk of the union membership.

The rule of organization is unsafe which denies to the employer the right to pay according to the merit of his employes or the right to pay a premium for conscientious service.

In the pending controversy it develops that the Union Pacific promised that in the adoption of the piecework system no workman should have less pay than he was earning previous to the change and that additional pay should go to skilled men on a reasonable premium schedule.

To this action it is due the public that some more tangible reason should be given than has yet been advanced by the strike managers.

The conditions which have prevailed in this strike situation for the past two months should not be allowed to continue.

If there are men here who do not desire to work for the Union Pacific there is no law to compel them to do so.

On the other hand if there are those who desire to labor they should be given that right.

Any shop or factory which employs a large number of men and keeps them at work at good wages is a lasting benefit to North Platte and it is repugnant to public policy that these men should be prevented by threats or otherwise from spending among the business men of North Platte the money which they earn.

INTERESTED ONE.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT had a narrow escape from death near Pittsfield, Mass., Wednesday forenoon, an electric car running into the coach in which the president was riding.

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References—Any Bank in Nebraska, Tel. No. 65. Office—Bratt Bldg.

NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

A GREAT many will agree with former Governor Hastings of Pennsylvania when he says that the coal operators are mistaken when they say that the anthracite coal strike is a private matter.

GOVERNOR SAVAGE has in preparation a letter addressed to Edward Rosewater which, the governor says, is a red hot one.

ONE year ago tomorrow the nation was plunged into grief by the assassination of President McKinley by Czolgosz and a similar grief was near at hand Wednesday when President Roosevelt made his narrow escape.

THE Ohio democrats in state convention this week endorsed the Kansas City platform of 1900. Tom Johnson manipulated the convention, hence its endorsement of Bryanism.

THE continued wet weather in the corn belt of Nebraska has caused considerable anxiety, as it is feared that frost will come before the crop is fully matured.

A SECOND eruption of the Pelee volcano occurred Wednesday, resulting in the death of about 800 persons and the destruction of much property.

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Amount of Taxes Paid by Nebraska Railroads and Rate Paid Per Mile by Each Company.

Table with columns: NAME OF RAILROAD, TAXES PAID, MILES, RATE PER MILE. Lists various railroads like B. & M. in Nebraska, Atchison & Nebraska, etc.

Does it not look as though Nebraska railroads paid more than the railroads with which they compete for business? Average taxes paid per mile in 1900... \$198 86

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